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SECOND REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME TO FILE OPPOSITION

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 2.102, Zurich American Insurance Company, a Corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of New York, having its principal place of business at 1400 American Lane, Schaumburg, Illinois 60196-1056, by and through its undersigned attorneys, hereby requests that the Board grant a sixty (60) day extension of time up to and including October 16, 2002, within which to file an opposition against the above-identified trademark application. This is the second requested extension of time.

The extension is necessary in order for Zurich American Insurance Company and the undersigned to properly investigate and weigh the merits of a possible opposition.

CERTIFICATE OF MAILING BY FIRST CLASS MAIL

I hereby certify under 37 CFR §1.8(a) that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail with sufficient postage on the date indicated below and is addressed to the Commissioner for Trademarks, 2900 Crystal Drive, Arlington, VA 22202-3513.

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The requested extension of time does not exceed 120 days from the date of publication.

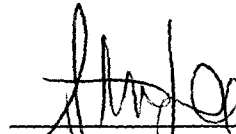
This request is being submitted in triplicate (original plus two copies) as required by 37 C.F.R. § 2.102(d).

Potential Opposer understands that no fee or certification is required for the submission and consideration of this information at this time. Should any fee be required at this time, the Commissioner is authorized to charge such fee to Deposit Account No. 06-1050 referencing 12447-002PP4.

Please forward any reply to this communication directly to Fish & Richardson P.C., P.A. at 3300 Dain Rauscher Plaza, 60 South Sixth Street, Minneapolis, Minnesota 55402. The fax number is (612) 288-9696.

Respectfully submitted,

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